

# High School to College and Career Pathway: Secondary

Area of Study: Skilled & Technical Sciences Education



## Pathway: Protective Service Law Enforcement

Middle School		State Requirements			High School Suggested Education Plan				College & Careers																				
7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Middle School		High School	9 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Suggested	Beyond High School																				
Language Arts 7 1.00	Language Arts 8 1.00	2.00	Language Arts	3.00	Language Arts 9 1.00	Language Arts 10 1.00	Language Arts 11 1.00	(1 additional credit—class of 2011)	<p>There are a number of options for education and training beyond high school, depending on your career goals.</p> <p>&gt; Certificate</p> <p>&gt; Associate degree</p> <p>&gt; Bachelor's degree</p> <p>&gt; Professional degree</p> <p>&gt; On-the-job training</p> <p>&gt; Apprenticeship</p> <p>&gt; Military training</p>																				
Pre-Algebra 1.00	Elem. Algebra or Applied Math 1.00	2.00	Math	2.00	Geometry or Applied Math II 1.00	Intermediate Algebra 1.00	(1 additional credit—class of 2011)																						
Science .50	Science 1.00	1.50	Science	2.00	Earth Systems 1.00	Biological Science 1.00	(1 additional credit—class of 2011)																						
Utah Studies .50	U.S. History I 1.00	1.50	Social Studies	2.50	Geography for Life .50	World Civilizations .50	U.S. History II 1.00	U.S. Government and Citizenship .50																					
P.E. 1.00	Health .50	1.50	P.E./Health	2.00	Participation Skills and Techniques .50	Fitness for Life .50 / Health Education .50 Lifetime Activities or Sport .50																							
The Arts .50	The Arts .50	1.0	Fine Arts	1.50	Fine Arts Courses 1.50																								
			Financial Literacy	.50			Financial Literacy .50																						
Keyboarding .50			Computer Tech.	.50	Computer Technology .50																								
CTE Intro 1.00		1.00	Career and Technical Education	1.00	<b>Career and Technical Education Recommended Pathway Courses</b> (Students may select individual courses for exploration, or a complete Pathway for an in-depth focus.) <b>CLASS AVAILABILITY MAY VARY AT YOUR HIGH SCHOOL</b> <table><thead><tr><th>Course #</th><th>Foundation Course: (required)</th><th>Credit</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>43.0107</td><td>Law Enforcement</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td>51.0911</td><td>EMS, Introduction</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td colspan="3"><b>Elective Courses:</b></td></tr><tr><td>15.0507</td><td>Environmental Science</td><td>.50</td></tr><tr><td>21.0105</td><td>Physic with Technology</td><td>1.00</td></tr><tr><td>32.0199</td><td>Student Internship (Critical Workplace Skills)</td><td>.50</td></tr></tbody></table>			Course #		Foundation Course: (required)	Credit	43.0107	Law Enforcement	.50	51.0911	EMS, Introduction	.50	<b>Elective Courses:</b>			15.0507	Environmental Science	.50	21.0105	Physic with Technology	1.00	32.0199	Student Internship (Critical Workplace Skills)	.50
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<b>Workforce Trends</b> Employment of police and detectives is expected to increase 9 to 17% through the year 2014. A more security-conscious society and concern about drug-related crimes will contribute to the increasing demand for police services.		Core Curriculum and elective requirements may vary district to district. Check with your school counselor.  Concurrent enrollment course offerings vary by school and district.			Many Utah post-secondary programs accept high school courses toward a two- or four-year degree through concurrent enrollment. Check regional post-secondary Pathways for details.																								
<b>Get the Facts</b> There are approximately 740,000 sworn law enforcement officers now serving in the United States. About 10% of them are female.																													

<b>Sample Occupations</b>  > Correctional Officer > Deputy Sheriff > Law Enforcement Teacher > Police Detective & Criminal Investigator > Police Patrol Officer > Police Supervisor > Sheriff
For more information on salary projections, labor market demand, and training options, visit <a href="http://www.careers.utah.gov">www.careers.utah.gov</a> .

**Note:** For more information, talk to your school counselor.